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For: LITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS AND DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD

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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE									\$	
GRAND TOTAL									\$	0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 9, 2006, Applicants amend the above-identified application as shown on the following attached pages: